

Table 102. Personal and property crimes, 2003:

[Download spreadsheet version](#)**Percent of reasons for not reporting victimizations to the police, by type of crime**

Type of crime	Number of reasons for not reporting	Percent of reasons for not reporting					
		Total	Reported to another official	Private or personal matter	Object recovered; offender unsuccessful	Not important enough	Insurance would not cover
All personal crimes	3,308,950	100 %	15.8 %	18.0 %	19.0 %	5.2 %	0.1 %*
Crimes of violence	3,179,080	100	15.7	18.7	19.0	5.2	0.1 *
Completed violence	799,000	100	13.2	19.7	8.6	2.3 *	0.0 *
Attempted/threatened violence	2,380,080	100	16.6	18.3	22.5	6.2	0.1 *
Rape/Sexual assault/a	146,910	100	7.1 *	17.1 *	11.4 *	3.7 *	0.0 *
Robbery	295,760	100	7.6 *	10.0 *	18.1	2.0 *	0.0 *
Completed/property taken	139,950	100	6.7 *	4.3 *	8.0 *	2.4 *	0.0 *
With injury	20,670 *	100 *	16.3 *	17.3 *	12.2 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	119,280	100	5.0 *	2.1 *	7.3 *	2.8 *	0.0 *
Attempted to take property	155,810	100	8.3 *	15.1 *	27.1	1.7 *	0.0 *
With injury	28,650 *	100 *	15.1 *	11.9 *	30.1 *	0.0 *	0.0 *
Without injury	127,160	100	6.8 *	15.8 *	26.5	2.0 *	0.0 *
Assault	2,736,410	100	17.1	19.7	19.5	5.6	0.1 *
Aggravated	512,800	100	12.4	21.1	16.8	2.9 *	0.0 *
Simple	2,223,610	100	18.1	19.4	20.1	6.3	0.1 *
Purse snatching/Pocket picking	129,870	100	18.1 *	0.0 *	19.2 *	5.2 *	0.0 *
All property crimes	13,873,850	100 %	9.5 %	5.9 %	26.3 %	3.8 %	2.0 %
Household burglary	1,925,600	100	4.4	8.1	23.8	6.0	2.1
Completed	1,493,440	100	2.7	9.2	19.4	6.2	2.2
Forcible entry	291,540	100	1.9 *	9.4 *	19.5	2.5 *	3.4 *
Unlawful entry without force	1,201,890	100	2.9	9.1	19.4	7.1	1.9 *
Attempted forcible entry	432,160	100	10.3	4.2 *	38.9	5.5 *	1.9 *
Motor vehicle theft	308,120	100	4.1 *	11.1	21.4	6.3 *	3.1 *
Completed	80,710	100	3.6 *	16.8 *	12.9 *	3.6 *	2.8 *
Attempted	227,410	100	4.3 *	9.0 *	24.4	7.2 *	3.1 *
Theft	11,640,130	100	10.5	5.4	26.8	3.3	1.9
Completed	11,298,010	100	10.6	5.6	26.1	3.3	2.0
Attempted	342,120	100	6.9 *	2.1 *	50.2	5.5 *	0.7 *

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Some respondents may have cited more than one reason for not reporting victimizations to the police.

*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.